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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
SHUICHI SAKANOUÉ, ET AL. : EXAMINER: E.M. MCAVOY
SERIAL NO: 09/926,106 :
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FOR: REFRIGERATING MACHINE OIL COMPOSITION

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 8, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

A discussion of the **Support for the Amendments** begins on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.